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## Saguaro National Park News Release

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### **Saguaro National Park Hosts Mata Ortiz Pottery Show with Western National Parks Association**

*Tucson, AZ* – Saguaro National Park is pleased to host our cooperating partner Western National Parks Association (WNPA) in the Rincon Mountain District (east) this weekend for a Mata Ortiz and Oaxacan Arts Show and sale.

The show runs from 9:30am to 4:30pm in the Rincon Mountain Visitor Center, Friday through Sunday, this weekend. There will be artisans demonstrating their craft and pot firing demonstrations each day at 1pm. View hundreds of unique designs, showcasing the work of dozens of craftsmen.

There will also be a special viewing of “The Mata Ortiz Pottery Phenomenon” at 11am and 2pm each of the days, followed by a special discussion with author Karen Q. Jones.

For more information, please contact Naik Banavathu at 520 733-5159, [sagu@wnpa.org](mailto:sagu@wnpa.org) or call the Rincon Mountain Visitor Center at 520 733 5153.

#### **Details:**

**What: Mata Ortiz and Oaxacan Arts Show**

**Where: Rincon Mountain Visitor Center, 3693 S. Old Spanish Trail, Tucson, AZ 85730**

**When: This weekend, March 1-3, 9:30am to 4:30pm each day**

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